

WINNING U. S. OLYMPIC ATHLETES WILL EXHIBIT HERE ON SEPT. 18 IN AMERICAN LEGION TRACK GAMES

PHILADELPHIANS, through the alertness of the American Legion, have stolen a march or something like that on New York. Instead of the big town grabbing of the victorious American Olympic athletes and welcoming them back home as New York usually does, the honor will be reserved for this city. The United States speed feet just as they are landing will be handshaken and back-slapped by the members of a Philadelphia committee of which Mayor Moore is the honorary chairman, hustled to this city and detained here long enough to be guests and exhibitors at the first annual American Legion field day, which will be staged on Franklin Field, September 18.

The athletes will arrive in New York on September 15, three days before the big meet. They will be spirited over here and toasted and boosted until after the carnival. The consent of the Olympic officials already has been obtained and Lawson Robertson, who is the assistant to Jack Mackay in charge of the Middle Atlantic meet, has cabled the U. S. Olympic committee that he will appear in the American Legion games. It is known that Earl Eby, the University of Pennsylvania star, who finished second in the 800-meter run and defeated the famed South African, B. G. D. Rudd, will be among these.

The appearance of the Olympic athletes at the American Legion games is only one of the many features lined up to attract the sports-loving public of this city to Franklin Field on the day of the event. The meet is the first of its kind ever held and from the present outlook it rivals the University of Pennsylvania relay games in magnitude. Entries from all over the country are being received daily by Edward J. Koellstedt, the chairman of the athletic committee, and George G. Strauchman, the chairman of the field day committee, at the office, 1011 Chestnut street. The seventy-eight posts in Philadelphia are giving the games their whole-hearted support and posts throughout the United States are getting behind the affair.

Business men and organizations everywhere are lending a hand in making a success of the games, which will be held annually. The University of Pennsylvania has donated Franklin Field gratis, something that the Red and Blue authorities never have done before for a sporting event. Last year the Quaker officials decided never again to lease out Franklin Field for anything other than a university activity, but a dispensation has been granted the American Legion.

The meet is for ex-service men, but outside entries will be received for the ten events scheduled to be open to registered A. A. U. athletes.

Marathon Another Feature There will be twenty-five events included on the program and it is expected that there will be more than 600 athletes in the competition. The big feature, aside from the showing of the Olympic team, will be a marathon run from Villanova College to Franklin Field, a distance of sixteen miles. The long distance grid will start before noon and the runners will finish with one turn around the Penn track before the other events of the carnival start. Four of the contests are open to members of Legion posts throughout the country. These events will be a century dash, a 1000-yard run, a one-mile run and a one-mile relay for teams composed of four men. Nine contests will be closed to members of posts in Pennsylvania, Delaware and New Jersey, south of Trenton. The Legion officials have taken a tip from the Penn relay management and have installed a medley relay in the closed contests. In this the first man will run a furlong, the second a quarter, the third a half and the anchor runner will cover a mile. There also will be a one-mile relay.

There will be several events of a military nature. Among them a novelty race in which the contestants will start in full equipment and gradually strip down to their running tugs while sprinting around the track. There also will be a bayonet race, wall-scaling and bugle competition. One of the races will be a 75-yard dash for maids and young women. Hobbler skirts will be barred.

Many organizations already have promised cups for the winners and individual prizes will be accorded to all the place men.

Browns Open Here, 50-50 A lot of people remained seated during the intermission and struck around for the last show at Shibe Park yesterday afternoon. They witnessed the A's in two thrilling contests, with Louie Brubaker, who departed yesterday. The home folks defeated the visitors before they were warmed up or knew what it was all about. That was in the first game. In the nighttime, the men of Jimmy Burke decided to make up for the tempo

Leaders in Majors Are Bunched THE American League clubs are bunched near the top today. Same in the National. Looks as if the pennant races would be close, if that's any news. (Copyright, 1920, by Public Ledger Co.)

Amateur Sports

JOHNNY HINES is in again Johnny, you remember, piloted the old Thompson A. A. in many victories on the diamond not so many years ago. It seems that Manager Hines has been reading the amateur and sports news in the "peppers" recently and has discovered that old timers "White" Simmons, "Punk" Brannon, "Reddy" Bush, "Teds" Haines and "Sammy" Hines have been playing ring around the younger talent. This brought in memories of the well-known past, and Manager Johnny got busy. As a result he has signed Hines and company to the Philadelphia Athletics. Hines, who is now in the class ten years ago. His team will be known as Jack Hines' Old Timers, and Hines wants to book Sunday games with William F. Reed, Fralinger, Kaywood, St. Monica's, South Philadelphia, Navy, Stetson and other address Jack Hines, 2579 South Chelton street.

Manager Nicholson says that the Scott Powell team, which he has piloted for the last eight years, has organized the Ryan A. A. The Mr. Vernon team trimmed the Philadelphia Giants by the score of 4 to 1 in an interesting game. Manager Nicholson's team played an effortless game, and Pitcher Patton yielded but four hits.

Westmore A. A. has a new coach away on Saturday. Address R. M. Dwyer, 2529 Jasper street. Kensington A. C. has a new coach away on Saturday. Address R. M. Dwyer, 2529 Jasper street. Haverhill A. C. has a new coach away on Saturday. Address R. M. Dwyer, 2529 Jasper street. Lorraine B. C. has a new coach away on Saturday. Address R. M. Dwyer, 2529 Jasper street. Cameron Prof. defeated the Barron A. A. by a score of 4 to 1.

Forty-sixth Ward travelers were gone with their last team, for August 22 and Labor Day. Coach "Caddy" 5712 Catherine street. Parson Club, 3700 Westmoreland, away. Will play the visiting game. Manager "Caddy" 5712 Catherine street. Frankford A. A., which has won twenty-four games to date, will travel during the remainder of the season. Manager "Caddy" 5712 Catherine street. Dress George B. Gardner, 2441 North street. Coopersville, away August 24. Coach D. B. McNeil, 2441 North street. Bob Hunter's All-Stars, home at away. Bob Hunter, 2441 North street. Bob Lawrence C. C. defeated Kinross A. A. by a score of 4 to 1. Address R. M. Dwyer, 2529 Jasper street.

Brazilian to Race at Chester Chester, Pa., Aug. 24.—Irene Corra, a Brazilian auto racer, will make his first appearance on the track here today. The race will be held under the auspices of the Delaware County Racing Association. Corra will drive an 8 and 8 special. He will compete in the five and five mile events. Among the rivals who have been lined up for Corra are Frank Williams, who is in the Ford, and the driver of the Buick, Kie Wolf, Bill Evers and Harry Lane.

SOMEbody IS ALWAYS TAKING THE JOY OUT OF LIFE



U. S. WATER POLO TEAM WINS MATCH

America Defeats Greece and England Beats Spain in the Olympic Sports Today

By the Associated Press Antwerp, Aug. 24.—The American water polo team defeated the Greek team in the Olympic aquatic events here today by a score of 10 to 2. England defeated Spain by nine goals to none. Three wounded swimmers sent here by the United States, began to show their progress. Mrs. Frances Covells Serroth, of San Francisco; Miss Irene Gust, of the Meadowbrook Club, of Philadelphia; and Miss Etheloida Breibrey, of New York, shattered the old Olympic record in making their preliminaries in the 100-meter free style.

The great Hawaiian, Duke Kahanamoku, duplicated his record by breaking the 100-meter free style swim in 1 minute 2.5 seconds while Paul Kealoha, of Hawaii, who shattered the world's record for the 100-meter backstroke swim on Sunday, equalled Kahanamoku's Olympic record in the 100-meter free style. Honolulu, won the final honors in the 100-meter backstroke with his teammate, R. Kegeris. Los Angeles, second, and the Belgian, Bliz, third. The time for the 100-meter free style swim in 1 minute 20.4 seconds, made by J. J. Hlboer in 1912. Perry McGillivray, of Illinois A. C., and the Quaker, Hon. H. H. finished respectively fourth and fifth.

Norman Ross, Illinois A. C., and F. K. Kahole, United States navy, were the winners of the 100-meter free style swim. Ross winning his heat and Kahole finishing second to Beauregard of Australia. In the 100-meter free style for women Mrs. Serroth won the first heat in 1 minute 18 seconds. Charlotte Boyle, Women's Swimming Association, finished second. Irene Gust won the second heat in 1 minute 18.2 seconds. Etheloida Breibrey won the third heat in 1:14.2.5 (the previous record was 1:19.4.5).

Eddie Egan, of Yale University, won the 100-meter freestyle for men. E. F. heavyweight, the final round today won his way into the final round of the light heavyweight class of the Olympic boxing. The American university student opened the contest to decide the championship by defeating Frank, an English boxer. Egan showed the same speed and dazzling footwork that has characterized his previous boxing, but he was injured by his hand, and he was forced to default in his bout with Petersen, of Denmark.

Mosberg, a lightweight from New York, who entered the final round today, has an opportunity of winning the light flyweight title as a result of his knocking out Roland, of South Africa. The K. A. punch was delivered after fifteen seconds after the opening of the first round. A right uppercut did the trick. The second Olympics closed late yesterday. Members of the Philadelphia team are concerned with the track and field competitions are concerned, with a decisive victory for the American athletes.

The Americans rolled up a total of 212 points during the week of competitions, a figure more than twice as great as that of the nearest rival nation—Finland, 105. The final official figures for the deputation place the men as follows: Loveland, Norway, 6704.255; Hamilton, United States, 6770.88; Oskson, Sweden, 6773.905; Hjalmar, Sweden, 6533.175; Nilsson, Sweden, 6434.33; Wiesholm, Finland, 4904.46.

Scoring on a basis of 22 points to any event allowed by the International Athletic Federation, the American team piled up approximately one-third of a possible aggregate total of 638. The Americans scored in all but four events, and were tied with Finland for first place championship honors, each nation having won nine firsts. The United States was far ahead in second places, with 12, and was second to Sweden in thirds, having won 9 to 10 for Sweden.

Five Leading Batters in Two Major Leagues

Table with columns: Player, Team, A.R., H., P.C. Lists top batters for American and National Leagues.

KAISER SETS NEW BIKE RECORD; FRENCHMAN STARS

New Yorker Covers One Lap in 16 3-5 Seconds at Drome. Lavelade, in Comeback, Wins 35-Mile Interlarded Sweepstakes

GEORGES LAVELADE, the French speed artist, and Harry Kaiser staged come-backs at the Poiffé Kreiser Velodrome last night. Lavelade showed his real form when he took the thirty-five-mile interlarded motor-paced sweepstakes, and Kaiser proved his caliber when he won the sprint match race and set up a new track record for one lap. Kaiser's new mark is 1:27.5 seconds, which is one-fifth of a second under the old record, set by Willie Spencer. The latter was scheduled to ride against Kaiser, but Eddie Madden had to be substituted. Spencer was indefinitely suspended for foul riding at the Newark track Sunday. Madden was trimmed in straight heats.

Lavelade rode one of the best races of his career. He traveled the thirty-five miles in 47 minutes 54.4 seconds. He was chased all the way by Frank Kelly, who was the first in one minute and one second flat. Campbell started from the 120-yard mark. Jake Smith, of the Olympic Club, was second and L. McFarland, third, of the Quaker City Club, carried off the honors in the one-mile scratch event in 2:24.4.5. He was chased across the line by W. R. Van Hook, who took second.

One accident occurred during the races. George Gorgely was thrown from his bike in the one-half mile amateur event, but was not seriously hurt. George Patterson, of the Olympic Club, was suspended as a result of the spill for crossing.

BARNEY'S SON GETS A JOB

S. W. Dreyfus is Appointed Treasurer of Pittsburgh Ball Club Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 24.—The appointments of S. E. Watters and S. W. Dreyfus, as secretary and treasurer respectively, of the Pittsburgh National League baseball club, were announced by officials of the team today. Mr. Watters, assistant secretary since 1909, was in charge of the club's affairs. Mr. Dreyfus is the son of Barney Dreyfus, president of the club. It was also announced today that Bill Gleason, former catcher in the Idaho State League, had joined the Pirates.

PERITT WITH GIANTS

Pitcher, Lame Arm Better, Rejoins New York St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 24.—Pitcher Peritt, who left the New York Nationals early in 1919, owing to a sore arm, and had rejoined the club here. Peritt pitched in the Texas League this season and said his arm was now in good condition.

Somerset Has Open Dates

Somerset is open for games on August 25, September 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31. The team is composed of the following: (Manager) Harry Davis, (Pitcher) Harry Davis, (Catcher) Harry Davis, (First Base) Harry Davis, (Second Base) Harry Davis, (Third Base) Harry Davis, (Outfield) Harry Davis, (Infield) Harry Davis, (Pitcher) Harry Davis, (Catcher) Harry Davis, (First Base) Harry Davis, (Second Base) Harry Davis, (Third Base) Harry Davis, (Outfield) Harry Davis, (Infield) Harry Davis.

Delaney Stops DeOro

Milwaukee, Wis., Aug. 24.—"Denny" Delaney, who has been in the lead of the Milwaukee team, stopped DeOro in the final round of the Milwaukee tournament. Delaney won by a score of 4 to 1. DeOro was knocked out in the first round.

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Never run your car on a dead battery. Always keep your car and engine well oiled. Waddy wheels are made of the finest steel. Did you ever see a ragged hole about the size of a silver dollar in the rear tire of a car? This is the result of a faulty tire. If your car is running for a week or so at a time, be sure to add water, but the solution is to get it done before it is too late. Never pour cold water into a radiator that has a hot engine. The sudden change of temperature will break the heat of the motor. Open the hood and give the motor time to cool before giving it a drink.

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These Two Clubs Have Had More Than Their Share of Hard Luck—Abe Mitchell Longest Driver in Golfing Game

By GRANTLAND RICE

The Advance Guard Dreamers of dreams—and who are they? What have they left to show? Where the flames of triumph glow? Rarely they reach the crowning mount, But when they have planned will come day count In the growth of a greater game. L. R. F.

LESSONS in "How to Put" are all very well, but what the duffer wants to know is how to stop putting when he reaches the green. Too many of them go like the college cheer of a motorboat.

You Can Tell 'Em "What chance?" queried a bystander, "has a ball club composed of players born in different major league cities against a ball club composed of players born in towns of 10,000 or less?"

What chance would any ball club have of beating a team where the catchers were Ray Schalk and Killefer; the pitchers, Alexander, Johnson, Vaughn, Bagby and Coveleski; the infield, Sisler, Collins, Bancroft and Weaver; the outfield, Speaker, Cobb and Jackson?

Out of every ten star ball players, at least nine were born in the villages. Comparative Despair "Then might fall, heavy as remembered sin. Wrote Keating once describing deep despair. And yet short putts that do not reach the pin. Make sin to any club seem light as air.

ONE of the mysteries of sport is a man's ability to play his game one day and buckle up with a crash on the next. And the queer part is that he may play his game when feeling physically and mentally unwell and fall where he never felt better. The matter of complete co-ordination among brain, muscles and nerve is a study no one has ever mastered. It is this co-ordination which tells the story, but so far it is still a bit too subtle for the human understanding to reach.

The Longest HARRY VARDON says that Ray is just as long or even a bit longer than Abe Mitchell. "I don't like to disagree with Vardon," a prominent British player told us, "but I know I am safe in saying that Mitchell is the longest driver in the world. There was one long hole at Deal against the wind. Ray was at least ten yards short with a drive and a full brassie, and no man is easing up in a championship where he wants to get home in 2. On this same hole Mitchell, after a mighty tee shot, got home with his iron. On his tee shot he was at least forty yards beyond the ball that Ray hit. Ray is a great hitter—one of the greatest that golf has ever known. But he isn't as long as Mitchell—and I might add that he isn't as long as Cyril

Clark to Coach M. A. C. Eleven East Lansing, Mich., Aug. 24.—Athletic Director Braker, of the Michigan Agricultural College, has selected "Pony" Clark, famous Illinois University athlete, as head coach of the Michigan team. Clark was selected to coach the Michigan team at the University of Michigan. Clark was a former professional ball player and has been in the business of coaching for several years.

Up-State Baseball Official Resigns Wrentham, Pa., Aug. 24.—Because he was overruled in a decision made in a game on August 8, "Doc" Walton, one of the best known amateur umpires in this part of the state, has quit his job in the International League. Walton, a former professional ball player, has been in the business of coaching for several years.

Michigan Has Strong Schedule Ann Arbor, Mich., Aug. 24.—Michigan University has virtually the same football schedule as last season. Four of the seven games are with Western Michigan. The other three are with Western Michigan. The other two games are with Case and Michigan State.

Madison Bouts Postponed The boxing scheduled for last night at the Madison A. C. was postponed because of the heavy rain. The bouts were postponed because of the heavy rain.

2 Big Games BASEBALL Tioga and B Streets

Twilight Game Thursday, August 26, 5:30 P. M. Hunter's Professionals vs. Marshall E. Smith & Bro. Saturday, August 28, 3:30 P. M. Indiana Club vs. Marshall E. Smith & Bro.

Bathing Suit Bargains

Table with columns: Item, Price, Reduced Price. Lists various bathing suit items and their prices.

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